

MUSICAL CLUBS OPEN POSTER COMPETITION

Winning Competitors Will Receive Tickets to Winter Concert—Posters Will Be Used for Fall Publicity

ANNOUNCE PLANS FOR TRIP

A poster competition to last until August 15 has been announced by the Publicity Department of the Combined Musical Clubs. All those desiring to enter are requested to hand in their names and summer addresses at the Musical Clubs' office in Walker Memorial. Posters submitted are to conform to standard size, 11 inches by 17 inches; competitors will be notified where the entries are to be sent.

Three Designs To Be Chosen

Of the number submitted, three are to be chosen for use by the Clubs. J. M. Keck '23, Publicity Manager, and R. C. Rundlett '22, General Manager, are to act as judges. The awards for each of the three best posters will be two tickets to the Winter Concert to be given at the Copley Plaza.

Cuts will be made from the three selected designs for use in the advance publicity next fall. This is the first time such a competition has been opened at the close of the year, but Publicity Manager Keck feels that the work for next year will be greatly facilitated by having the posters prepared during the summer.

Take Middle Western Trip

In regard to the annual Christmas trip of the Clubs, the plan of the general manager for a series of concerts in the middle western states in the vicinity of Chicago was approved by the executive committee. Although no definite contracts have been signed, answers received to preliminary letters and publicity sent out by the clubs, indicate that the clubs will pass through upper New York state, touching probably Schenectady and Rochester, then playing in cities in Illinois, Indiana, or neighboring states. Then down through Kentucky, playing at Louisville and back to the seaboard by way of central Pennsylvania. St. Louis and Chicago are possibilities for the trip, but no definite information can be given in regard to these cities as the sentiment of the local Alumni Associations must first be considered.

Hold Local Concerts as Usual

There will be the usual number of local concerts in the fall, beginning with the annual concert at the Franklin Square House. Letters have been sent out under the direction of the general manager to all of the girl's schools and preparatory schools in and around Boston, where local concerts might be given.

In the fall a new competition for specialty acts will open under the direction of the general manager. He advises that men who have ever put on any act, consider a new stunt that will get away, and suggestions will then be welcomed by the management in the fall.

May Alternate Trips

In 1917 the combined Clubs went to Chicago during the spring vacation, and had a successful trip through that middle western section. Last year, the clubs' trip was along the Atlantic seaboard including Brooklyn, Philadelphia, Montclair, New Brunswick and Cranford, New Jersey and Washington. The general manager hopes to institute as a custom of the clubs the alternation of these two trip routes, one along the Atlantic coast and the other into the middle west.

OUR OWN REVIEW OF REVIEWS

"Advanced Clams" by Professor Peanuts of Jumbo College.

Perhaps the most profound and learned work of the month is Prof. Peanuts' "Advanced Clams". The author, with his gigantic reasoning powers, has given the world a rare intellectual treat. The volume containing over 200 pages is replete with pithy and dilectable meat for the mental digestion. No words can better express the tremendous value of the book than those of Dr. Sticky Le Glue, who says, "Peanuts means well. I know, for I held the clams in one of the experiments. What is home without Peanuts' 'Advanced Clams'?"

MINERS PICK NEW OFFICERS

The recently elected officers of the Mining Engineering Society are: E. L. Johansen '22, president; R. J. Bard '22, vice-president; S. B. Metcalfe '22, secretary; and G. Bowers '24, treasurer. The final meeting planned for this week was cancelled, due to the general rush of work at the end of the year.

INTERCOLLEGIATE NOTES

Although the participants of senior class picnics are not clad in dress suits, yet the attire chosen by the Harvard seniors to grace their yesterday's annual class picnic sets all such custom at variance. The usual attire at the senior frolic ran to paint-stained overalls and similarly decorated black caps. The motifs ran to gaudy flowers and hieroglyphics while the popularity of the Voistead act furnished the embryo artists with ideas for "still" decorations.

The evident industrial depression has hit even the colleges with impartiality. At Yale, the selling jobs seem to be the only ones. What with factory shut-downs growing more numerous, and out-door laboring jobs being affected by the wage-cutting era, Yale men must needs be satisfied with sales jobs as a means of summer employment.

Plans for the fourteenth annual Princeton summer camp, to give a real sort of vacation to city boys are now under way. It is expected that about 360 boys will attend the camp. In June the campers will be the Bloomfield and Princeton Boy Scouts. From then on the regular camp will be held for the boys from the tenement districts of New York and Philadelphia. These boys are secured from organizations in those cities, and many of them already have court records for petty offences of one kind or another. And in most cases the two weeks at the Princeton camp constitute the only time during the year when the kids are in an atmosphere of decent living.

As the camp is situated on the Metedeconck River and only three miles from the ocean, there is plenty of opportunity for bathing. The educational side of the camp is taken care of by short talks at night by such counsellors as are qualified to give them, and devotional services every morning.

COSMOPOLITAN CLUB WILL GIVE LUNCHEON FOR DEAN

Last Gathering of Club This Year
—New Officers Installed

As a farewell to Dean Burton and Prof. Lipka the members of the Cosmopolitan Club are giving a luncheon tomorrow afternoon at 1 o'clock. At the same time the results of the recent election will be announced and the new officers for next year installed.

Dean Burton was one of the first counsellors of the club, having been actively connected with it for 11 years. By his interest he has helped the club in many ways. While this is the first year that Prof. Lipka has been counsellor, he has spoken before the club many times and shown an active interest in its welfare. Both of the departing counsellors will address the club.

EDDY WILL SPEAK AT SILVER BAY MEETING

George Sherwood Eddy, who spoke at Technology, April 12, 13 and 14, will be at the Silver Bay Conference being pushed by the Technology Christian Association. He will speak on religious subjects for the main part dealing with conditions in the East. After leaving Technology, Eddy



G. Sherwood Eddy

went first to Dartmouth and thence on a tour throughout New England. He spoke at nearly all the colleges, Williams being the first stop after the Dartmouth meetings.

Regarding Technology he made this statement, "Tech is all right and I am deeply touched by the enthusiastic reception I received there."

It is expected that Mr. Eddy will again tour the West at an early date.

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TECHNOLOGY BRANCH

DR. NICHOLS WRITES

Sends Note for Next Year's
T. C. A. Handbook

The T. C. A. Handbook for next year will contain a picture and a note of welcome to the incoming students from Doctor Ernest Fox Nichols as President of Technology. L. S. Vadner '22 has received a letter from Doctor Nichols in reply to a request for a few words to be published in the "Bible" which is to be

STUDENTS PREPARED

in English grammar and Spanish in a very short time and very easy. Write for an appointment to Professor Greco, 33 Bickerstaff Street, Boston 17, Mass.

Dr. Nichols has been for the past year director of Physical Science at the Nela Park Research Laboratory of the National Electric Lamp Association at Cleveland. In this position, he assembled around him as a corps of assistants a notable staff of eminent scientists. He has been conduct-



ERNEST FOX NICHOLS

issued in the fall. The picture of the new President will occupy the place once held by that of the late Doctor MacLaurin, former President of the Institute.

Doctor Nichols will make his first appearance at the Institute when he addresses the Senior Banquet on the evening of Tuesday, June 7, Walker. The inauguration ceremonies take place the following day. The new president will assume his duties next year, as will Doctor Talbot, the new Dean of Technology. Dean Burton leaves the Institute in July for California.

ing investigations in his specialized line, assisted by these men and has recently begun many more such with their help. It is hoped that he will not give up this work when he takes up his duties at the Institute but will continue to give this his contribution to the fund of scientific knowledge.

Previous to his entering this laboratory, during the war, he was at work for the Bureau of Naval Ordnance. As a result of experiments he conducted, the bureau has now certain valuable optical devices, the nature of which cannot even now be disclosed.

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